

## RANDY WEBER MEMBER OF CONGRESS FOURTEENTH DISTRICT, TEXAS

July 26, 2021

Ms. LeAnn Strahan Destinations Director City of Freeport 311 Nat Hickey Lane Freeport, Texas 77541

Dear Ms. Strahan:

As the U.S. Representative for the 14<sup>th</sup> Congressional District of Texas, I offer my utmost support of Freeport being recertified into the 2022 Texas Main Street program.

The Main Street program provides a much-needed economic boost to downtown Freeport. From my childhood, I vividly remember a strong, vibrant downtown that was bustling with life, and I am convinced that—with the current support of the city, local business owners, and the community at large—Freeport can regain that halcyon experience. Freeport can relive the community pride and accomplishment of years past.

A Main Street designation can help foster new business opportunities, with a positive economic impact on the city. As we know from experience, the more money that enters the city, the more funding is available for new infrastructure and programs that motivate progress in the city. These factors combine to cultivate a community that our neighbors are proud to call home.

I am proud to support Freeport in their endeavor to become recertified as a Texas Main Street community in 2022.

Sincerely,

Randy K. Weber

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